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1. PUBLIC OPINION: MEDIA REACTION THUS FAR REGARDING USG DEVELOPMENT/DEPLOYMENT PLANS FOR NEUTRON BOMB HAS BEEN REPORTED REF B. MEDIA COVERAGE HAS NOT BEEN EXTENSIVE AND NO EDITORIALS HAVE YET APPEARED.
2. POSSIBLE GOP REACTION: THE GOP IS CURRENTLY PREOCCUPIED WITH OTHER MILITARY ISSUES, I.E. FORCE MODERNIZATION AND FULL NATO INTEGRATION. TO DATE DAO HAS NOT RECEIVED OR SOUGHT SPECIFIC OR GENERAL REACTIONS FROM THE PORTUGUESE MILITARY. THE GOP IS NOT LIKELY TO MAKE THE DEVELOPMENT OR THE DEPLOYMENT OF THE NEUTRON BOMB AN ISSUE AND WILL PROBABLY GO ALONG WITH ANY DECISION MADE WASHINGTON AND THE NATO ALLIES.
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